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Sri K. RAMACHANDRAN : ஒரு வீட்டுக்கு எவ்வளவு பணம் கொடுக்கப்படுகிறது? அதில் எவ்வளவு சதவிகிதம் மானியமாகக் கருதப்படுகிறது? இந்தத் திட்டத்தின்கீழ் தனிப்பட்ட நெசவாளர்களுக்கு உதவி செய்யப்படுகிறதா?

The Hon. Sri V. RAMAIAH : The scheme at present is only for weavers in the Co-operative fold. Up to 1st April 1961 a certain pattern was in vogue under which the cost of each house including the cost of site for the house should not exceed Rs. 3,600. Out of this 66 2/3 per cent was treated as loan and 33 1/3 per cent was given as grant.

But after 1st April 1961 a liberalised pattern of assistance was brought into force under which the maximum cost per house including the cost of site should not exceed Rs. 5,000. Out of this 75 per cent will be given as loan and 25 per cent will be given as grant. The entire cost of amenities would be treated as loan as hitherto.

Audit and Accounts Service

* 2053 *Q.*—Sri K. VINAYAKAM (on behalf of Sri V. K. RAMASWAMY MUDALIYAR) : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether there is any proposal to organize a separate State Audit and Accounts Service as recommended by the Madras Pay Commission; and

(*b*) whether this will affect the present set up of treasury organization and if so, how?

The Hon. Sri C. SUBRAMANIAM : (*a*) & (*b*) The Government have appointed a Special Officer to go into the question and prepare a detailed scheme for the re-organisation of treasuries. While preparing the scheme, the Special Officer has also been requested to deal with—

(*a*) The staffing pattern, the different cadres in the treasuries, the strength of each cadre and the sources from which trained staff could be secured immediately.

(*b*) Details of the training porgrammes for each cadre.

(*c*) The department to which the new organisation should be attached, whether the Board of Revenue or Finance Department of the Secretariat.

(*d*) The extent of control which District Collectors and Tahsildars should exercise on district and sub-treasuries.

(*e*) The advantages, if any, in combining the functions of Examiner of Local Fund Accounts and the Director of Treasuries under one Head of Department with two deputies in charge of the two wings.

(*f*) whether the cadre of Chief Accounts Officer attached to different departments might be integrated with the Treasuries and Local Fund Audit Department.

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(*g*) The modifications required in treasury procedure to suit the present pattern of district and Panchayat administration.

Items (*a*), (*e*), (*f*) and (*g*) above are linked with the recommendations of the Pay Commission regarding the constitution of a State Audit and Accounts Service. Therefore, the report to be submitted by the Special Officer on the reorganisation of treasuries will incidentally deal also with the several aspects pertaining to the constitution of a State Audit and Accounts Service.

Handloom clothes (quality control)

* 2054 *Q.*—SRI A. A. RASHEED : Will the Hon. the Minister for Electricity be pleased to state whether the Government have appointed any committee to ensure quality of the Handloom Goods Exports?

THE HON. SRI V. RAMAIAH : No, Sir.

SRI A. A. RASHEED : Since complaints have been received from foreign countries regarding the quality of handloom cloth, will the Government consider to appoint a committee to ensure the quality of handloom goods?

THE HON. SRI V. RAMAIAH : Even before the appointment of the Committee, the All-India Handloom Board has introduced quality marking scheme. This can be availed of.

SRI K. VINAYAKAM : Sir, to ensure the quality of the goods that are now exported to foreign countries, what is the procedure adopted now by the Handloom Export Organisation?

THE HON. SRI V. RAMAIAH : I have just now replied to a supplementary question of the hon. Member, Sri A. A. Rasheed that the Handloom Board have introduced a quality marking scheme, which is a voluntary one and this can be availed of.

SRI V. K. KOTHANDARAMAN : சமீபத்தில் கைத்தறித் துணிகளை ஏற்றுமதி செய்ததிலே தரக்குறைவு இருந்ததன் காரணமாக அமெரிக்காவுக்கு அனுப்ப இருந்த ரகம் பாதிக்கப்பட்டது என்று சொல்லப்பட்டது. ஆகவே இதுபோன்று நமது நாட்டின் பெயர் கெடாமல் இருப்பதற்கும், நாட்டின் தொழில் வளர்ச்சி பாதிக்கப்படாமல் இருப்பதற்கும் நல்ல தரமாக அனுப்புவதற்கு முயற்சி செய்வார்களா ?

THE HON. SRI V. RAMAIAH : அதற்கு வேண்டிய முயற்சிகள் என்ன என்ன எடுக்கப்பட்டிருக்கின்றன என்பதை விவரமாகச் சொன்னேன்.

Clerks in town panchayats (salary)

* 2055 *Q.*—SRI V. SUBBIAH : கனம் முதல் அமைச்சர் தயவு செய்து கீழ்க்கண்ட கேள்விக்குப் பதிலளிப்பாரா—

டவுன் பஞ்சாயத்து கிளார்க்குகளின் அடிப்படைச் சம்பளத்தை 100 ரூபாயாக உயர்த்த உத்தேசமுண்டா ?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : No, Sir.